

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Kenneth G. POWELL et al.

Appl. No. 10/679,271

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For: METHOD FOR FILLING A

CONTAINER HAVING AT LEAST ONE FLEXIBLE COMPONENT

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## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of January 2, 2004.

The applicable extension fee of \$110.00 is included in a remittance that is being submitted concurrently. Should this remittance be inadvertently missing, however, or should any additional fees be required, please charge such fees to our Deposit Account number 22-0261, and notify us accordingly.

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